

CLERKS—TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

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LETTER

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

TRANSMITTING

*List of Clerks employed in that Department.*

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FEBRUARY 21, 1856.—Laid upon the table, and ordered to be printed.

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT,  
*February 15, 1856.*

SIR: In compliance with the provisions of the eleventh section of the act of 26th of August, 1842, I have the honor to transmit statements marked A, B, and C, and numbered from one to thirteen, inclusive, of the clerks and others employed in this office, and in the several bureaus of the Treasury Department, for the year 1855.

I am, very respectfully,

JAMES GUTHRIE,

*Secretary of the Treasury.*

Hon. N. P. BANKS, JR.,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

*Statement showing the names of the clerks and others employed in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury, and the sums paid to each, for the year 1855, and also the State of their residence at the time of their appointment.*

Names.	Grade.	Time employed.	Annual salary.	Amount paid.	State or Territory of residence at time appointed.
Hon. James Guthrie.....	Secretary.....	From January 1 to December 31.....	-----	\$8,000 00	Kentucky.
Peter G. Washington.....	Assistant Secretary.....	do do.....	-----	3,000 00	District of Columbia.
Gilbert Rodman.....	Chief clerk.....	From January 1 to July 31, and from September 3 to December 31.....	\$2,200 00	2,002 72	Pennsylvania.
Samuel M. McKean.....	Disbursing agent.....	From January 1 to December 31.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	Do.
James N. Barker.....	Fourth class clerk.....	do do.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	Do.
Charles Dummer.....	do.....	From January 1 to February 28.....	1,800 00	295 00	Maine.
Richard Ela.....	do.....	From January 1 to December 31.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	New Hampshire.
John F. Hartley.....	do.....	do do.....	1,800 00	1,800 00	Maine.
W. H. West.....	do.....	From March 1 to December 31.....	1,800 00	1,405 00	
John U. Lovejoy, jr.....	Third class clerk.....	From January 1 to December 31.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
William M. Gouge.....	do.....	From January 1 to March 13; from September 1 to September 30; and from November 1 to November 30.....	1,600 00	580 47	Pennsylvania.
Charles Fisher.....	do.....	From January 1 to December 31.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Virginia.
William Handy.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Maryland.
Henry Brewer.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
R. C. Morgan.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Louisiana.
H. P. C. Wilson.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Virginia.
Julius A. Peters.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	California.
J. C. Pickett.....	do.....	From December 1 to December 31.....	1,600 00	134 00	
Samuel H. Cutts.....	Second class clerk.....	From January 1 to December 31.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maine.
C. M. B. Harris.....	do.....	do do.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	Pennsylvania.
G. S. Oldfield, jr.....	do.....	do do.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	California.
Isaac Strohm.....	do.....	From January 1 to June 30.....	1,400 00	700 00	Ohio.
H. M. McGill.....	do.....	From January 1 to December 31.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	Do.

W. A. Shannon	do	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Pennsylvania.
J. D. Hogan	do	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	New York.
William N. Barker	do	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	California.
T. M. Blount	do	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Florida.
R. V. R. Van Wyck	do	From January 1 to June 30, and from July 1 to December 31. (Promoted July 1)		1,400 00	1,300 00	Tennessee.
Alfred Lindsay	do	From July 1 to December 31		1,400 00	700 00	
F. J. Seybolt	do	From November 13 to November 30		1,400 00	68 48	
J. M. Crawford	First class clerk	From January 1 to September 30		1,200 00	900 00	
C. A. Page	do	From January 1 to February 28		1,200 00	196 67	Kentucky.
William P. Partello	do	From March 1 to March 31		1,200 00	103 33	Ohio.
E. Crosdale	do	From April 1 to December 31		1,200 00	900 00	
F. W. Singleton	do	From May 1 to June 12		1,200 00	141 76	
R. F. Hopkins	do	From April 23 to June 16		1,200 00	181 32	
C. F. M. Kidwell	do	From July 1 to December 31		1,200 00	600 00	
W. W. Gaines	do	From October 1 to December 31		1,200 00	300 00	
A. B. Morton	do	From July 1 to December 31		1,200 00	600 00	
B. L. Compte	do	From September 27 to December 31		1,200 00	313 00	
Charles Pettit	Messenger	From January 1 to December 31		840 00	840 00	District of Columbia.
J. H. Reiss	Assistant messenger	do		780 00	780 00	Do.
A. F. Beedle	Laborer	From July 1 to December 31		576 00	288 00	
John Malone	do	do		576 00	288 00	

*Statement showing the names of watchmen employed in the Treasury building, their salaries, the amount paid each, time employed, and residence.*

Names.	Time employed.	Annual salary.	Amount paid.	Residence.
Wm. C. Goddard .....	From January 1 to June 30, 1855 .....	\$600 00	\$300 00	District of Columbia.
James Pool .....	From July 1 to December 31, 1855 .....	600 00	300 00	do.
William Clarke .....	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 .....	600 00	600 00	do.
William Jones .....	do .....	600 00	600 00	do.
H. Sipe .....	do .....	600 00	600 00	do.
J. W. Marlow .....	From January 1 to July 12, 1855 .....	600 00	319 58	do.
G. Sengstack .....	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 .....	600 00	600 00	do.
G. G. Tyler .....	do .....	600 00	600 00	do.
J. H. Heath .....	From January 1 to June 13, 1855 .....	600 00	272 00	do.
W. Crampsey .....	From June 14 to July 17, 1855 .....	600 00	55 72	do.
Joseph Williamson .....	From July 18 to November 7, 1855 .....	600 00	184 24	do.
W. C. Veitch .....	From July 18 to December 31, 1855 .....	600 00	277 19	do.
Peter Flynn .....	From July 13 to July 14, 1855 .....	600 00	3 23	do.
L. H. Henry .....	From November 8 to December 31, 1855 .....	600 00	88 04	do.



## C.

*Paid from appropriation for contingencies in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury.*

Names.	Office.	Time employed.	Rate of salary.	Amount paid.
W. W. Gaines -----	Extra clerk----	116 days-----	\$1,200 00	\$385 46
C. Fletcher -----	-----do-----	3 days-----	1,200 00	10 00
E. L. Corbin -----	-----do-----	38 days-----	1,200 00	122 61
John W. -----	-----do-----	37 days-----	1,200 00	121 95
F. W. Singleton-----	-----do-----	50 days-----	1,200 00	166 66
Wm. P. Partillo -----	-----do-----	22 days-----	1,200 00	85 55

No. 1.—Statement exhibiting the names, compensation, and time employed, of the several clerks and messengers in the office of the First Comptroller of the Treasury during the year 1855, as required by 11th section act of August 26, 1842.

Names.	Office.	Time employed.	Salary.	Amount paid.	Residence when app'd.
J. M. Ramsey -----	Chief clerk -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00	Pennsylvania.
William Anderson -----	Third-class clerk -----	do do do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Tennessee.
N. B. Vanzandt -----	do -----	do do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Delaware.
Lewis L. Taylor -----	do -----	From January 1 to April 5, 1855 -----	1,600 00	400 00	Mississippi.
John Y. Laub -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
E. M. Whittlesey -----	do -----	do do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Ohio.
L. Q. Washington -----	do -----	From January 1 to November 5, 1855 -----	1,600 00	1,350 77	District of Columbia.
H. Langtry -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Tennessee.
John Bedell -----	do -----	From April 6 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,600 00	1,178 02	New Hampshire.
B. Mackal -----	do -----	From November 6 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,600 00	} 1,432 10	District of Columbia.
T. F. Anderson -----	Second-class clerk -----	From January 1 to November 5, 1855 -----	1,400 00		
B. F. Rogers -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Pennsylvania.
John Ferguson -----	do -----	do do -----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Do.
A. L. Edwards -----	do -----	From January 1 to April 13, 1855 -----	1,400 00	400 00	Do.
A. B. Claxton -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Tennessee.
William Stickney -----	First-class clerk -----	From April 14 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00	} 1,026 37	District of Columbia.
-----	Second-class clerk -----	From April 6 to the 13th, 1855 -----	1,200 00		
-----	First-class clerk -----	From July 1 to December 15, 1855 -----	1,400 00	} 960 48	District of Columbia.
-----	Second-class clerk -----	From January 1 to April 5, 1855 -----	1,200 00		
L. H. Rickard -----	do -----	From November 6 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00	217 11	Connecticut.
F. H. Stickney -----	do -----	From December 16 to the 31st, 1855 -----	1,400 00	56 00	Maine.
Thomas Johnson -----	First-class clerk -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	District of Columbia.
J. T. W. Ourand -----	do -----	do do -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	Do.
William Ferguson -----	do -----	From April 14 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,200 00	857 01	Do.
E. Ourand -----	Messenger -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	840 00	840 00	Do.
H. Sipe -----	Laborer -----	do -----	576 00	576 00	Do.
D. C. W. Ourand -----	do -----	do -----	576 00	576 00	Do.

The foregoing statement exhibits the names of the clerks and other persons employed, respectively, during the year terminating Dec. 31, 1855, or any part thereof, together with the time that each clerk or other person was actually employed. In my opinion, the services of none of them can be dispensed with without detriment to the public service; nor is the removal of any of them, and the appointment of others in their stead, required for the better despatch of business.

ELISHA WHITTLESEY.

No. 2.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, SECOND COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE,  
*January 2, 1856.*

SIR: In compliance with the requirements of the ninth section of the act of April 20, 1818, (3 Stat., 447,) and the eleventh section of the act of August 26, 1842, (5 Stat., 525,) and the resolution of the House of Representatives of January 13, 1846, (House Journal 1846, page 241,) I transmit, herewith, a statement exhibiting the names of the clerks and other persons who have been employed in this office during the year 1855 or any part thereof, their residence when appointed, the time each was actually employed, with the salary and amount paid to each.

All the persons named have been usefully employed, and the number cannot be diminished without detriment to the public service.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

J. M. BRODHEAD,  
*Comptroller.*

Hon. JAMES GUTHRIE,  
*Secretary of the Treasury.*

*Statement exhibiting the names of the clerks and other persons who have been employed in the office of the Second Comptroller of the Treasury during the year ending December 31, 1855, or any part thereof, and the sums paid to each, as required by the 9th section of the act of April 20, 1818, (3 Stat., 447,) and the 11th section of the act of August 26, 1842, (5 Stat., 525;) and to the name of each is added "his residence at the time of his appointment," as required by the resolution of the House of Representatives of January 13, 1846. (House Journal 1846, page 241.)*

Names.	State or Territory from whence appointed.	Time actually employed.	Annual salary.	Amount paid.
Tobias Purrington, chief cl'k	Maine - - - - -	From January 1 to December 31 - - - - -	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00
James M. Cutts - - - - clerk - -	Dist. of Col. - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,600 00	1,600 00
George D. Abbott - - - do - - -	- - - do - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,600 00	1,600 00
Thomas J. Cathcart - - do - - -	- - - do - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,600 00	1,600 00
Mason Campbell - - - do - - -	Virginia - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,600 00	1,600 00
Edmund F. French - - do - - -	Massachusetts - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,600 00	1,600 00
John C. Wilson - - - do - - -	N. Hampshire - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,600 00	1,600 00
Robert Long - - - do - - -	Maine - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,600 00	1,600 00
William A. Evans - - do - - -	- - do - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,400 00	1,400 00
Samuel B. Parris - - do - - -	Dist. of Col. - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,400 00	1,400 00
Andrew J. Clark - - do - - -	Mississippi - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,400 00	1,400 00
Joseph Manahan - - do - - -	N. Hampshire - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,400 00	1,400 00
John Sessford - - - do - - -	Dist. of Col. - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,200 00	1,200 00
William S. Fort - - do - - -	New Jersey - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,200 00	1,200 00
Joseph T. Adams - - do - - -	Massachusetts - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	1,200 00	1,200 00
F. K. Dunlop - - - do - - -	Dist. of Col. - - - - -	From January 1 to June 17 - - - - -	1,200 00	557 14
A. J. Bentley - - - do - - -	Ohio - - - - -	From June 18 to June 30 - - - - -	1,200 00	42 86
James T. Clark - - - do - - -	Dist. of Col. - - - - -	From July 1 to December 31 - - - - -	1,200 00	600 00
Isaac K. Hanson - - do - - -	- - - do - - - - -	From January 1 to December 31 - - - - -	1,200 00	1,200 00
Geo. C. Jackson, messenger - - -	- - - do - - - - -	- - - do - - - do - - -	840 00	840 00
William Drane - - laborer - - -	- - - do - - - - -	From January 1 to July 5 - - - - -	576 00	295 74
William Chambers - - do - - -	- - - do - - - - -	From July 6 to December 31 - - - - -	576 00	280 26

*Statement exhibiting the names, time employed, compensation, and residence when appointed, of the clerks, messengers, and laborer in the office of the First Auditor of the Treasury during the year 1855; prepared in compliance with the 11th section of the act legalizing and making appropriations for such necessary objects as have been usually included in the general appropriation bill without authority of law, approved August 26, 1842.*

Names.	Office.	Time employed.	Salary.	Amount paid.	Residence when appointed.
David W. Mahon.....	Chief clerk.....	From January 1 to December 31, 1855.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00	Pennsylvania.
Mitchell H. Miller.....	Clerk.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Mississippi.
James M. Torbert.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Delaware.
James Colegate.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
Alexander Mahon.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Pennsylvania.
William Hemphill Jones.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Delaware.
John Trader.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	California.
Francis Doyle.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Georgia.
Benjamin Shaw.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Maine.
Thaddeus Sturgis.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Georgia.
George Hartwell.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	New York.
Joseph Ingle.....	do.....	do do.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
Alexander Hall.....	do.....	do do.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
Chester Diming.....	do.....	do do.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	New York.
William B. Collins.....	do.....	do do.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
N. P. Bemis.....	do.....	do do.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	Florida.
N. L. Carr.....	do.....	do do.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	Indiana.
John P. Bentley.....	do.....	do do.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
L. F. Pillow.....	do.....	do do.....	1,400 00	1,400 00	Tennessee.
John S. Lewis.....	do.....	From January 1 to August 3, inclusive, 1855.....	1,400 00	829 35	Georgia.
William B. Hart.....	do.....	do do do.....	1,200 00	710 87	New York.
William B. Hart.....	do.....	From August 4 to December 31, 1855.....	1,400 00	570 65	Do.
Merit Jordan.....	do.....	From January 1 to June 10, 1855.....	1,200 00	534 07	Virginia.
Merit Jordan.....	do.....	From June 11 to December 31, 1855.....	1,400 00	776 92	Do.
Richard H. Riddick.....	do.....	From January 1 to May 31, 1855.....	1,400 00	584 60	North Carolina.

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CLERKS—TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Names.	Office.	Time employed.	Salary.	Amount paid.	Residence when appointed.
John C. Bronaugh-----	Clerk-----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	\$1,200 00	\$1,200 00	Virginia.
Louis Brand-----	do-----	From June 11 to October 16, 1855-----	1,200 00	418 10	Maryland.
Ed. Pearce-----	do-----	From March 19 to December 31, 1855-----	1,200 00	943 33	District of Columbia.
William P. Lasselle-----	do-----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	1,200 00	1,200 00	Do.
John H. Bartlett-----	do-----	From August 4 to December 31, 1855-----	1,200 00	489 13	Do.
George W. Hill-----	do-----	From October 17 to December 31, 1855-----	1,200 00	247 83	Ohio.
Charles E. Pleasant-----	do-----	From January 1 to March 2, 1855-----	1,200 00	203 33	Arkansas.
W. H. Selden-----	do-----	From October 1 to December 31, 1855-----	1,200 00	300 00	District of Columbia.
James W. Garner-----	Messenger-----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	840 00	840 00	Do.
George W. Fales-----	do-----	do-----do-----	720 00	720 00	Do.
James W. Goldsmith-----	Laborer-----	do-----do-----	576 00	576 00	Do.

No. 4.—Statement of the names of the clerks and other persons employed during the year 1855, or any part thereof, in the office of the Second Auditor, together with the time that each clerk or any other person was actually employed, and the sum paid to each, and “the respective State or Territory of his residence at the time of his appointment;” prepared in pursuance of the 11th section of the act of August 26, 1842, and the resolution of the House of Representatives of January 13, 1846.

Names.	Office.	Annual salary.	Time for which paid.	Annual salary.	Total amount paid.	Residence when appointed.
William Mechlin -----	Chief clerk -	\$2,000 00	January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	-----	\$2,000 00	District of Columbia.
Lewis Beard -----	Clerk -----	1,600 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	1,600 00	Virginia.
P. Brady -----	-----	1,600 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
T. L. Moody -----	-----do-----	1,600 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	1,600 00	Alabama.
J. M. Sims -----	-----do-----	1,600 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	1,600 00	Pennsylvania.
J. W. Brown -----	-----do-----	1,600 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	1,600 00	Ohio.
F. Cosby -----	-----do-----	1,600 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	1,600 00	Kentucky.
H. J. Kershaw -----	-----do-----	1,600 00	January 1 to March 10, 1855-----	\$306 67	306 67	South Carolina.
E. M. Clark -----	-----do-----	1,600 00	January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	-----	1,600 00	Missouri.
Alexander Elliott -----	-----do-----	1,600 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	1,600 00	Ohio.
J. F. Polk -----	-----do-----	1,600 00	January 1 to April 30, 1855-----	533 00	533 00	Indiana.
C. W. Forrest -----	-----do-----	1,600 00	January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	-----	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
G. W. Mercer -----	-----do-----	1,400 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	1,400 00	Virginia.
Charles Hume -----	-----do-----	1,400 00	January 1 to March 14, 1855-----	283 89	-----	Virginia.
-----	-----	1,600 00	March 15 to December 31, 1855-----	1,275 56	1,559 45	-----
S. C. Ford -----	-----do-----	1,400 00	January 1 to April 30, 1855-----	466 00	-----	District of Columbia.
-----	-----	1,600 00	May 1 to December 31, 1855-----	1,067 00	1,533 00	-----
R. W. Middleton -----	-----do-----	1,400 00	January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	-----	1,400 00	Pennsylvania.
J. T. Quisenberry -----	-----do-----	1,400 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	1,400 00	Missouri.
Samuel Reeves -----	-----do-----	1,400 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	1,400 00	North Carolina.
G. Cowing -----	-----do-----	1,200 00	January 1 to April 30, 1855-----	400 00	-----	Indiana.
-----	-----	1,400 00	May 1 to December 31, 1855-----	934 00	1,334 00	-----
H. W. Balmain. -----	-----do-----	1,200 00	January 1 to March 14, 1855-----	243 33	-----	District of Columbia.
-----	-----	1,400 00	March 15 to December 31, 1855-----	1,116 11	1,359 44	-----
J. C. Kretschmar -----	-----do-----	1,200 00	March 23 to December 31, 1855-----	-----	930 00	Pennsylvania.
H. A. Olcott -----	-----do-----	1,200 00	May 1 to December 31, 1855-----	-----	800 00	Connecticut.



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Names.	Office.	Annual salary.	Time for which paid.	Annual salary.	Total amount paid.	Residence when appointed.
George Sylvester* -----	Messenger --	\$700 00	January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	-----	\$840 00	District of Columbia.
John Hamilton* -----	Asst. messg'r	500 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	600 00	Do.
John Brent* -----	Laborer -----	480 00	-----do-----do-----	-----	576 00	Do.

\* Including the per centum of the messengers and laborer, per act August 4, 1854, sections 1 and 6.

I hereby certify that the above clerks and other persons now attached to this office have been usefully employed; that their services cannot be dispensed with without detriment to the public service; and that the removal of any individuals and the appointment of others in their stead, is not required for the better despatch of business.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, SECOND AUDITOR'S OFFICE, *February 13, 1856.*

P. CLAYTON, *Second Auditor.*

CLERKS—TREASURY DEPARTMENT.



No. 5.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, THIRD AUDITOR'S OFFICE,  
*January 12, 1856.*

SIR: In conformity with the ninth section of the act of the 20th of April, 1818, and the eleventh section of the act of the 26th of August, 1842, I have the honor to transmit, herewith, a statement containing the names of the clerks and other persons who have been employed in this office, under authority of law, during the year 1855, exhibiting the time each was employed, the amount paid to each, and the State or Territory of their residence at the time of their appointment.

Relative to "whether the services of any clerk can be dispensed with without detriment to the public service, and whether the removal of any individuals and the appointment of others in their stead is required for the better despatch of business," I would state, that from the heavy and increasing business of this bureau, and in view of the fact that the permanent force is less than that reported to you on the 3d of January, last year, I could not safely recommend any further reduction at the present time. The industry and attention to their respective duties by the gentlemen belonging to the office is, generally, unexceptionable. Should any exceptions, however, fall under my observation, they will be promptly reported to you.

I am, very respectfully, your obedient servant,  
ROBERT J. ATKINSON,  
*Auditor.*

Hon. JAMES GUTHRIE,  
*Secretary of the Treasury.*

*Report of the names of the clerks and other persons employed in the office of the Third Auditor of the Treasury during the year 1855, showing the time each was employed, the sums paid to each, and the State or Territory of their residence at the time of their appointment; prepared in pursuance of the 11th section of the act of Congress of August 26, 1842.*

No.	Names.	Time employed.		Annual salary.	Amount received.	Residence when appointed.
		Commencing—	Ending—			
1	Samuel R. Rind, chief clerk -----	January 1, 1855-----	Dec. 31, 1855-----	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00	District of Columbia.
	CLASS 4.					
1	Walter H. S. Taylor-----	January 1, 1855-----	Dec. 31, 1855-----	1,800 00	1,800 00	Maryland.
	CLASS 3.					
1	Charles Vinson -----	January 1, 1855-----	Dec. 31, 1855-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Maryland.
2	Henry K. Randall-----	do-----	do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Do.
3	Levin Jones-----	do-----	do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Do.
4	Thomas C. Daniel-----	do-----	do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Virginia.
5	A. F. Cunningham-----	do-----	do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Do.
6	Eben Eveleth-----	do-----	do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Florida.
7	John P. Sheldon-----	do-----	do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Wisconsin.
8	Charles Abbot-----	do-----	do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
9	James T. Raymond-----	July 1, 1855-----	do-----	1,600 00	800 00	New York.
	CLASS 2.					
1	Gideon Pearce-----	January 1, 1855-----	Dec. 31, 1855-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maryland.
2	Bennett Clements-----	do-----	do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Do.
3	Samuel H. Janney-----	do-----	do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
4	Richard T. Mathews-----	do-----	do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Do.
5	James W. Hampton-----	do-----	March 5, 1855-----	1,400 00	248 89	Do.
6	Samuel Norment-----	do-----	March 31, 1855-----	1,400 00	400 00	Do.

7	S. N. Salomon	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	New York.
8	Samuel S. Whiting	do	Feb. 28, 1855	1,400 00	229 45	Virginia.
9	Richard J. Dove	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
10	Charles W. Pettit	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Do. do.
11	J. J. C. Cantine	do	March 2, 1855	1,400 00	237 22	Pennsylvania.
12	George Hartwell	do	June 30, 1855	1,600 00	800 00	New York.
13	John Bedell	do	April 4, 1855	1,600 00	421 98	New Hampshire.
14	William Stickney	April 6, 1855	June 30, 1855	1,600 00	378 02	District of Columbia.
15	Archibald McNeill	January 1, 1855	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Tennessee.
16	Benjamin F. Niles	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Delaware.
17	Edward McCann	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	South Carolina.
18	George F. Worthington	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maryland.
19	Joseph B. Pleasants	do	June 30, 1855	1,400 00	700 00	Virginia.
20	George P. Williamson	do	March 2, 1855	1,400 00	237 22	Ohio.
21	H. J. Crosson	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maryland.
22	Robert Grame	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
23	James W. Robertson	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
24	W. S. R. Saffell	do	Oct. 4, 1855	1,400 00	1,065 22	Do. do.
25	P. M. Fortier	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Missouri.
26	Thomas B. Thruston	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	South Carolina.
27	Thomas J. Hobbs	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maine.
28	Albert Ellery	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maryland.
29	J. Newcomb Knapp	do	March 31, 1855	1,400 00	350 00	Wisconsin.
30	P. H. Cooney	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Kentucky.
31	George Ott Wunder	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
32	George Humes	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
33	Asa L. Hazleton	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	New York.
34	John A. Peebles	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Kentucky.
35	Wm. H. Weirick	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Ohio.
36	Walter H. S. Taylor, jr	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
37	Abial Allen	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	New York.
38	Richard B. Norment	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Arkansas.
39	Wythe Denby	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Kentucky.
40	J. E. Potts	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	New Jersey.
41	T. G. Palmer	do	May 31, 1855	1,400 00	584 62	California.
42	James M. Smith	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
43	Charles A. Page	March 1, 1855	do	1,400 00	1,170 55	Kentucky.
44	Charles E. Pleasants	March 3, 1855	do	1,400 00	1,162 77	Arkansas.
45	R. M. Leitch	June 1, 1855	do	1,400 00	815 38	South Carolina.

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CLERKS—TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

No.	Names.	Time employed.		Annual salary.	Amount received.	Residence when appointed.
		Commencing—	Ending—			
46	J. S. Duke	July 1, 1855	Dec. 31, 1855	\$1,400 00	\$700 00	Louisiana.
47	Charles W. Schreiner	January 1, 1855	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Pennsylvania.
48	Benjamin A. Janvier	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Delaware.
49	George W. Hall	do	June 30, 1855	1,400 00	700 00	Maine.
50	Wm. A. Rind, jr.	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
51	John M. Clarke	do	May 31, 1855	1,400 00	584 61	Virginia.
52	E. T. Mathews	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
53	Matthew McLeod	do	June 30, 1855	1,400 00	700 00	Do. do.
54	Joseph A. Craighill	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
55	Charles W. Fenton	do	June 30, 1855	1,400 00	700 00	District of Columbia.
56	A. G. Marshman	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Iowa.
57	A. T. McCallum	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	North Carolina.
58	Hugh McNeil	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	New York.
59	Stephen Duncan	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Louisiana.
60	Alfred Lindsay	do	June 30, 1855	1,400 00	700 00	District of Columbia.
61	R. S. Forde	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Kentucky.
62	R. S. Jordan	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
63	L. F. Pillow	do	June 30, 1855	1,400 00	700 00	Tennessee.
64	J. W. Cummins	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Indiana.
65	William L. Todd	do	Oct. 24, 1855	1,400 00	1,141 31	Alabama.
66	G. W. Hamer	do	Jan. 31, 1855	1,400 00	120 55	Ohio.
67	Thomas W. Maires	do	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	New Jersey.
68	J. B. Chandler	do	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Illinois.
69	John B. Bentley	do	June 30, 1855	1,400 00	700 00	Virginia.
70	Charles F. McDonald	do	do	1,400 00	700 00	Massachusetts.
71	A. H. Saunders	March 3, 1855	Nov. 12, 1855	1,400 00	976 36	Virginia.
	Do	January 1, 1855	March 2, 1855	1,200 00	203 33	Do.
72	John A. Throckmorton	Nov. 13, 1855	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	186 41	District of Columbia.
73	E. B. Eshelman	October 5, 1855	do	1,400 00	334 78	Ohio.

74	John A. Beatty	October 25, 1855	do	1,400 00	258 69	Do.
	do	January 1, 1855	Oct. 24, 1855	1,200 00	978 26	Do.
75	William P. Partello	February 1, 1855	Feb. 28, 1855	1,400 00	108 89	Do.
	do	April 1, 1855	Dec. 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,050 00	Do.
76	C. C. Andrews	March 1, 1855	June 30, 1855	1,400 00	470 56	Kansas.
77	David Bassett	June 12, 1855	do	1,400 00	73 08	Texas.
78	J. S. Nevins	March 6, 1855	March 31, 1855	1,400 00	101 11	New Jersey.
CLASS 1.						
1	Daniel P. Porter	January 1, 1855	July 17, 1855	1,200 00	655 43	Virginia.
2	James T. Clark	March 3, 1855	June 30, 1855	1,200 00	396 66	District of Columbia.
3	A. J. Bentley	July 1, 1855	Dec. 31, 1855	1,200 00	600 00	Ohio.
4	John J. Wright	August 28, 1855	do	1,200 00	410 87	Kentucky.
5	William P. Shearman	Nov. 9, 1855	do	1,200 00	172 82	New York.
MESSENGERS.						
1	Thomas Foster, principal	January 1, 1855	Dec. 31, 1855	700 & 20 pr. ct.	840 00	Virginia.
2	Solomon Goddard, assistant	do	June 14, 1855	600 do	328 35	District of Columbia.
3	S. H. Taylor, assistant	June 15, 1855	Dec. 31, 1855	600 do	391 65	Do. do.
	do laborer	January 1, 1855	June 14, 1855	480 do	262 68	Do. do.
4	Bruce Hall	do	June 30, 1855	350 do	210 00	Do. do.
5	John Bell	July 1, 1855	Dec. 31, 1855	350 do	210 00	Do. do.
LABORERS.						
1	Eli Duvall, jr	January 1, 1855	Dec. 31, 1855	480 do	576 00	Do. do.
2	John Frizzell	June 15, 1855	do	480 do	313 32	Do. do.

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*Clerks employed on temporary bounty land duty under the act of March 3, 1855.*

No.	Names.	Time employed.		Annual salary.	Amount received.	Residence when appointed.
		Commencing—	Ending—			
1	F. W. Singleton .....	March 7, 1855----	April 4, 1855----	\$1, 200 00	\$96 51	Virginia.
2	George F. Cox .....	-----do-----	Dec. 31, 1855----	1, 200 00	983 33	District of Columbia.
3	Thomas W. Jordan .....	March 9, 1855----	-----do-----	1, 200 00	976 66	Virginia.
4	William Gaines .....	-----do-----	Sept. 30, 1855----	1, 200 00	676 66	Louisiana.
5	R. M. Leitch .....	March 10, 1855----	May 31, 1855----	1, 200 00	274 43	South Carolina.
6	John S. Duke .....	March 19, 1855----	June 30, 1855----	1, 200 00	343 33	Louisiana.
7	Thaddeus S. Atkinson .....	March 24, 1855----	Dec. 31, 1855----	1, 200 00	926 66	Ohio.
8	E. B. Eshelman .....	March 27, 1855----	October 4, 1855----	1, 200 00	629 71	Do.
9	Samuel Linton .....	April 2, 1855----	Dec. 31, 1855----	1, 200 00	896 70	Pennsylvania.
10	William H. Chase .....	-----do-----	-----do-----	1, 200 00	896 70	Maryland.
11	James Reid .....	April 7, 1855----	-----do-----	1, 200 00	880 22	District of Columbia.
12	James D. Southard .....	June 1, 1855----	-----do-----	1, 200 00	698 90	Kentucky.
13	H. Ray Bowie .....	July 4, 1855----	October 24, 1855----	1, 200 00	368 48	Maryland.
14	Charles T. Hull .....	July 1, 1855----	July 3, 1855----	1, 200 00	9 78	Virginia.
15	Robert Jones .....	October 5, 1855----	Dec. 31, 1855----	1, 200 00	286 95	Massachusetts.
16	Charles Soran .....	October 30, 1855----	-----do-----	1, 200 00	205 33	Maryland.
17	John M. Crawford .....	October 1, 1855----	-----do-----	1, 200 00	300 00	Kentucky.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, THIRD AUDITOR'S OFFICE, *January 12, 1856.*\_\_\_\_\_  
*Auditor.*

No. 6.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, FOURTH AUDITOR'S OFFICE,  
*February 5, 1856.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit to you a table showing the names of the clerks and other persons who have been employed in this office during the year 1855, or any part thereof, together with the time that each person was actually employed, and the sum paid to each; and to state that they have all been usefully employed, and that the services of none of those now attached to the office can be dispensed with without detriment to the public service.

I have the honor to be, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,  
A. O. DAYTON.

Hon. JAMES GUTHRIE,  
*Secretary of the Treasury.*



*Statement of the names of the clerks and other persons employed in the office of the Fourth Auditor of the Treasury, during the year 1855, or any part thereof, with the time each person was so employed, and the sum paid to each, and also the places of their respective residences when appointed.*

Names.	Grade.	Where from.	Time employed.	Amount.
A. J. O. Bannon	Chief clerk	Virginia	January 1 to December 31, 1855	\$2,000 00
G. M. Head	Third-class clerk	Kentucky	do do do	1,600 00
J. B. Sullivan	do	Pennsylvania	do do do	1,600 00
H. Berrian	do	New York	do do do	1,600 00
R. L. Mackall	do	District of Columbia	do do do	1,600 00
D. Higgins	do	Ohio	do do do	1,600 00
T. H. Lane	do	New York	do do do	1,600 00
L. L. Loving	do	Tennessee	do do do	1,600 00
R. Ricketts	do	Virginia	do do do	1,600 00
H. G. O'Neal	do	District of Columbia	do do do	1,600 00
W. L. Waller	Second-class clerk	New York	do do do	1,400 00
J. Hackett	do	New Jersey	do do do	1,400 00
J. E. Holland	do	Maryland	do do do	1,400 00
J. B. Oliver	do	Pennsylvania	do do do	1,400 00
L. Cruger	do	South Carolina	do do do	1,400 00
J. D. Anderson	First-class clerk	Maine	do do do	1,200 00
A. B. Morton*	do	Kentucky	do do do	600 00
M. McLeod	Temporary clerk	District of Columbia	July 1 to December 31, 1855	700 00
G. W. Hall	do	Maine	do do do	700 00
C. W. Fenton	do	District of Columbia	July 1 to October 16, 1855	410 87
L. Brand†	do	District of Columbia	October 17 to October 24, 1855	30 44
H. R. Bowie†	do	Maryland	October 25 to December 31, 1855	258 69
W. Thumlert	Messenger	District of Columbia	January 1 to December 31, 1855	840 00
W. Ritchie	Assistant messenger	District of Columbia	do do do	360 00

\* Employed but not paid in this office, from July 1 to December 31.

† Paid at but not employed in this office.



No. 7.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, FIFTH AUDITOR'S OFFICE,  
*December 31, 1855.*

SIR: In compliance with the requisitions contained in the ninth section of the act of Congress of 20th April, 1818, and the eleventh section of the act of Congress of 26th August, 1842, I have the honor to enclose herewith, in duplicate, a list of the names of the clerks and other persons employed in this office for the year ending with this day, together with their compensation, and the State or Territory from which they were appointed.

I have also to state that the act of Congress "to remodel the diplomatic and consular system of the United States" will nearly double the business of this office, and, in order that the work may be properly and promptly done, I have to ask for the additional force of two third-class clerks.

I have the honor to be, sir, respectfully, your obedient servant,  
M. McCONNEL,  
*Auditor.*

Hon. JAMES GUTHRIE,  
*Secretary of the Treasury.*

*List of the persons who were employed in this office from the 1st January to the 30th September, 1855, showing the country, State, or Territory, where born, and the country, State, or Territory, from which they were appointed, together with their annual compensation.*

Persons' names.	Where born.	Whence appointed.	Time of serving.	Annual compensation.
Thomas Mustin .....chief clerk.....	Virginia .....	Virginia .....	January 1 to January 31, 1855.....	\$2,000 00
James C. Pickett.....do.....	Kentucky .....	Kentucky .....	April 2 to June 30, 1855 .....	2,000 00
Thomas M. Smith.....do.....	New Hampshire.....	Indiana .....	July 1 to July 31, 1855 .....	2,000 00
John H. Houston.....clerk.....	Pennsylvania .....	Pennsylvania .....	August 1, 1855.....	2,000 00
Thomas M. Smith.....do.....	New Hampshire.....	Indiana .....	January 1 to June 30, 1855.....	1,600 00
Thomas Mustin.....do.....	Virginia .....	Virginia .....	January 1 to July 31, 1855 .....	1,600 00
William D. Shepherd.....do.....	Pennsylvania .....	Indiana .....	July 1, 1855.....	1,600 00
John Devlin.....do.....	Ireland .....	District of Columbia.....	January 1 to July 31, 1855 .....	1,400 00
John S. Lewis.....do.....	North Carolina.....	Virginia .....	August 1, 1855.....	1,600 00
George W. Biscoe.....	Maryland .....	Maryland.....	Whole time.....	1,400 00
Richard H. Boswell.....messenger.....	Maryland .....	District of Columbia.....	Whole time.....	1,200 00
Simeon Meed.....do.....	New Jersey.....	District of Columbia.....	January 1 to July 12, 1855 .....	840 00
Hugh Corwin.....laborer.....	Ireland .....	District of Columbia.....	July 13, 1855.....	840 00
			Whole time .....	576 00

T. M. SMITH, *Chief Clerk.*

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, *Fifth Auditor's Office, December 31, 1855.*

*Statement exhibiting the names, compensation, and time employed, of the several clerks and messengers in the office of the Auditor of the Treasury for the Post Office Department during the year 1855, as required by the 11th section of the act of August 26, 1842.*

Names.	Office.	Time employed.	Salary.	Amount paid.	Residence when appointed.
T. J. Johnston -----	Chief clerk -----	From January 1 to December 19, 1855-----	\$2,000 00	\$1,934 78	Mississippi.
H. St. Geo. Offutt -----	Principal clerk -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	1,800 00	} 2,000 00	Missouri.
	Disbursing clerk -----	do -----do -----	200 00		
Thomas Bartlett -----	Principal clerk -----	do -----do -----	1,800 00	1,800 00	Maine.
John F. Boone -----	do -----	do -----do -----	1,800 00	1,800 00	District of Columbia.
Henry Rogers -----	do -----	do -----do -----	1,800 00	1,800 00	Pennsylvania.
Woodville Latham -----	do -----	do -----do -----	1,800 00	1,800 00	Virginia.
Steuben Jenkins -----	Class No. 4 -----	From January 1 to March 4, 1855 -----	1,800 00	315 00	Pennsylvania.
D. R. Lindsay -----	Class No. 3 -----	do -----do -----	1,600 00	} 1,765 00	Alabama.
	Class No. 4 -----	From March 5 to December 31, 1855-----	1,800 00		
William C. Lipscomb -----	Class No. 3 -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Virginia.
Nicholas Tastet -----	do -----	do -----do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
J. A. M. Duncanson -----	do -----	From January 1 to June 30, 1855 -----	1,600 00	800 00	Do.
S. A. Houston -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Pennsylvania.
James Coolidge -----	do -----	From January 1 to September 30, 1855 -----	1,600 00	1,200 00	District of Columbia.
J. P. Wheeler -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Do.
L. J. Anderson -----	do -----	do -----do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Do.
M. Johnson -----	do -----	do -----do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Do.
J. L. Davis -----	do -----	do -----do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Indiana.
Giles Dyer -----	do -----	do -----do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
J. W. Bronaugh, jr -----	do -----	do -----do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Do.
J. B. Carns -----	do -----	do -----do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Maryland.
R. Dement -----	do -----	From January 1 to March 13, 1855-----	1,600 00	320 00	Ohio.
S. Y. AtLee -----	do -----	From January 1 to May 2, 1855 -----	1,600 00	540 65	Michigan.
Samuel Harkness -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
H. Suter -----	do -----	do -----do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Do.

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CLERKS—TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Names.	Office.	Time employed.	Salary.	Amount paid.	Residence when appointed.
J. R. McAlister	Class No. 3	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	\$1,600 00	\$1,600 00	Missouri.
R. Leech	do	do do	1,600 00	1,600 00	Ohio.
F. J. McCamant	do	do do	1,600 00	1,600 00	Pennsylvania.
A. Moise, jr.	do	do do	1,600 00	1,600 00	Tennessee.
L. Welsh	do	do do	1,600 00	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
John Thaw	do	do do	1,600 00	1,600 00	California.
E. M. Merchant	Class No. 2	From January 1 to March 4, 1855	1,400 00	1,565 00	Virginia.
J. T. Raymond	Class No. 3	From March 5 to December 31, 1855	1,600 00		
Alfred Russell	do	From January 1 to June 30, 1855	1,600 00	800 00	New York.
W. J. Bronaugh	Class No. 2	From January 1 to March 13, 1855	1,400 00	1,560 00	Tennessee.
B. S. Ashburn	Class No. 3	From March 14 to December 31, 1855	1,600 00		
R. Prentice	Class No. 2	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
W. Evans	do	do do	1,400 00	1,400 00	North Carolina.
Wm. Hogan, jr	do	From January 1 to November 30, 1855	1,400 00	1,282 06	Michigan.
S. M. Edwards	do	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
Thomas J. Massie	do	do do	1,400 00	1,400 00	New York.
T. Boudinot	do	do do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
T. B. Addison	do	From January 1 to May 2, 1855	1,400 00	1,532 42	Do.
P. Simpson	Class No. 3	From May 3 to December 31, 1855	1,600 00		
S. Y. McNair	Class No. 2	From January 1 to April 20, 1855	1,400 00	426 92	New York.
F. J. Seybolt	do	From January 1 to October 2, 1855	1,400 00	1,448 90	District of Columbia.
C. T. Pope	Class No. 3	From October 3 to December 31, 1855	1,600 00		
Wm. S. Darrell	Class No. 2	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Do.
Samuel Hanson	do	do do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Pennsylvania.
P. A. Fitzhugh	do	do do	1,400 00	1,400 00	New York.
	do	From January 1 to November 12, 1855	1,400 00	1,331 52	Maine.
	do	From December 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00		
	do	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
	do	do do	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
	do	do do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Do.

R. T. Queen	Class No. 1	From January 1 to March 13, 1855	1,200 00	1,360 00	Do.
	Class No. 2	From March 14 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00		
J. S. Douglas	Class No. 1	From January 1 to March 4, 1855	1,200 00	1,365 00	Virginia.
	Class No. 2	From March 5 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00		
C. S. Horton	do.	From January 1 to May 3, 1855	1,400 00	476 91	Indiana.
J. M. Hanson	do.	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
John Todd	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Pennsylvania.
W. H. Sullivan	do.	From January 1 to July 1, 1855	1,400 00	1,499 45	Do.
	Class No. 3	From July 2 to December 31, 1855	1,600 00		
W. A. Coburn	Class No. 2	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
B. O. West	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maryland.
F. Hume	do.	From January 1 to September 24, 1855	1,400 00	1,027 17	District of Columbia.
A. D. Harmon	do.	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maryland.
D. W. Archer	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Florida.
John Beck	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
W. M. L. Marshall	do.	From January 1 to July 16, 1855	1,400 00	760 86	Maine.
W. Addison	do.	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
L. R. Hamersley	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Pennsylvania.
M. A. Turner	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Do.
John McNerhany	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
E. W. Forteney	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Do.
J. R. Wilson	do.	From January 1 to March 8, 1855	1,400 00	260 55	Connecticut.
A. S. Loughery	Class No. 1	do	1,200 00	864 41	Kentucky.
	Class No. 2	From March 9 to August 22, 1855	1,400 00		
F. S. Shulze	do.	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Pennsylvania.
Wm. Ryan	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
S. V. Hunter	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Kentucky.
J. W. Amos	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Ohio.
J. W. Anderson	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maryland.
J. G. Jewell	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Mississippi.
J. A. Throckmorton	do.	From January 1 to November 12, 1855	1,400 00	1,213 58	District of Columbia.
Philip Smith	do.	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	Do.
J. O. Wilson	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Massachusetts.
J. C. Compton	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
R. W. Varden	do.	From January 1 to April 9, 1855	1,400 00	384 61	Virginia.
H. E. Woodbury	do.	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
L. H. Parrish	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	Do.
John Kearns	do.	do	1,400 00	1,400 00	New Jersey.
A. H. Saunders	do.	From November 14 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	182 60	Virginia.

## STATEMENT—Continued.

Names.	Office.	Time employed.	Salary.	Amount paid.	Residence when appointed.
E. C. Caldwell -----	Class No. 2 -----	From July 1 to July 16, 1855 -----	\$1,400 00	\$760 86	District of Columbia.
P. Washington -----	Class No. 1 -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	Virginia.
H. L. Martin -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 23, 1855 -----	1,200 00	1,173 91	Mississippi.
J. H. Jordan -----	do -----	From January 1 to April 20, 1855 -----	1,200 00	} 1,339 00	Maine.
W. V. W. Weaver -----	Class No. 2 -----	From April 21 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00		
R. Widdicombe -----	Class No. 1 -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	Virginia.
S. Y. Mason -----	do -----	do ----- do -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	District of Columbia.
W. E. G. Keen -----	do -----	do ----- do -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	Ohio.
A. H. McRea -----	Class No. 2 -----	From January 1 to May 2, 1855 -----	1,200 00	} 1,332 41	California.
R. H. Bigger -----	Class No. 1 -----	From May 3 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00		
W. W. Tyler -----	Class No. 2 -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	District of Columbia.
J. H. Strider -----	do -----	From January 1 to September 25, 1855 -----	1,200 00	} 1,252 71	Indiana.
William Blain -----	Class No. 1 -----	From September 26 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00		
John Ott, jr. -----	Class No. 2 -----	From January 1 to July 17, 1855 -----	1,200 00	} 1,290 75	Virginia.
J. H. Somerville -----	Class No. 1 -----	From July 18 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00		
R. F. Hopkins -----	Class No. 2 -----	From January 1 to August 22, 1855 -----	1,200 00	} 1,271 18	Do.
J. W. Miles -----	Class No. 1 -----	From August 23 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00		
E. D. Leazer -----	Class No. 2 -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	District of Columbia.
G. D. Bronaugh -----	do -----	From March 15 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,200 00	956 67	Maryland.
J. M. Leitch -----	do -----	From January 1 to July 1, 1855 -----	1,200 00	} 1,299 45	Do.
G. C. Swayzee -----	Class No. 2 -----	From July 2 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00		
J. C. Mattison -----	Class No. 1 -----	From January 1 to April 11, 1855 -----	1,200 00	336 26	Tennessee.
	do -----	From March 17 to October 2, 1855 -----	1,200 00	} 998 91	Pennsylvania.
	Class No. 2 -----	From October 3 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00		
	Class No. 1 -----	From January 1 to May 3, 1855 -----	1,200 00	} 1,331 86	New Jersey.
	Class No. 2 -----	From May 4 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00		
	Class No. 1 -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	District of Columbia.
	do -----	From January 1 to April 22, 1855 -----	1,200 00	372 52	Do.
	do -----	From January 1 to September 30, 1855 -----	1,200 00	900 00	Louisiana.
	do -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	New York.



R. E. Whitlocke	do	From January 1 to April 9, 1855	1,200 00		
	Class No. 2	From April 10 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,345 05	Kentucky.
D. Bassett	Class No. 1	From January 1 to June 11, 1855	1,200 00		
	Class No. 2	From July 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	1,237 36	District of Columbia.
G. C. Williams	Class No. 1	From January 16 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	1,150 00	Connecticut.
Nicholas Clinch	do	From January 1 to January 22, 1855	1,200 00	73 33	District of Columbia.
Henry Smith	do	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	1,200 00	Do.
A. West	do	From March 17 to March 31, 1855	1,200 00	46 66	Do.
J. W. Huston	do	From April 21 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	834 05	Michigan.
Alfred Tyler	do	From May 5 to December 1, 1855	1,200 00	687 91	Kentucky.
Wm. N. J. Godwin	do	From April 1 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	900 00	Louisiana.
J. Hall Moore	do	From April 12 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	863 72	District of Columbia.
E. W. Farley	do	From April 25 to June 13, 1855	1,200 00	164 82	Do.
E. A. Whipple	do	From May 3 to November 12, 1855	1,200 00		
	Class No. 2	From November 13 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	821 12	Pennsylvania.
T. M. Embrey	Class No. 1	From June 16 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	649 45	Virginia.
F. L. Grammer	do	From April 10 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	870 32	Maryland.
A. J. West	do	From September 25 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	319 56	Do.
W. J. McCormick	do	From July 17 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	547 82	District of Columbia.
J. W. Nixon	do	From August 28 to December 16, 1855	1,200 00	361 94	Louisiana.
J. C. McCarty	do	From December 17 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	48 91	Tennessee.
F. W. Singleton	do	From January 1 to January 15, 1855	1,200 00		
	do	From June 13 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	709 34	Virginia.
G. R. D. Teasdale	do	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	1,200 00	District of Columbia.
Chas. T. Hull	do	From July 3 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	593 47	Virginia.
Chas. F. McDonald	do	From July 1 to July 16, 1855	1,200 00		
	Class No. 2	From July 17 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00	691 29	Massachusetts.
H. A. Cooke	Class No. 1	do	1,200 00	547 83	Mississippi.
J. R. Young	do	From December 24 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	26 03	Do.
Marcus Lane	do	From December 12 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	65 21	Michigan.
John W. Daniels	do	From October 7 to November 21, 1855	1,200 00	149 99	District of Columbia.
F. Ringgold	do	From November 22 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	130 43	Do.
J. J. Schermerhorn	do	From November 10 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	169 55	Virginia.
H. B. Kerrick	do	From October 3 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	293 48	Missouri.
T. A. Scott	do	From December 22 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00	32 60	District of Columbia.
W. W. Cox	Messenger	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	900 00	900 00	Do.
Samuel Sherwood	Assistant messenger	do	540 00	540 00	Maryland.
James Reed	Acting messenger	From January 1 to April 6, 1855	576 00	153 49	District of Columbia.
E. W. Farley	do	From January 1 to April 24, 1855	576 00	181 97	Virginia.

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Names.	Office.	Time employed.	Salary.	Amount paid.	Residence when appointed.
Reed Bradley -----	Acting messenger ----	From January 1 to November 30, 1855. -----	\$576 00	\$528 00	Connecticut.
Wm. Peak -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	576 00	576 00	District of Columbia.
Richard White -----	do -----	do ----- do -----	576 00	576 00	Do.
John N. Oliver -----	do -----	do ----- do -----	576 00	576 00	Kentucky.
W. W. Matheney -----	do -----	do ----- do -----	576 00	576 00	Virginia.
J. W. Grayson -----	do -----	From April 28 to December 31, 1855 -----	576 00	389 26	Do.
H. B. Kerrick -----	do -----	From June 4 to October 21, 1855 -----	576 00	189 85	Missouri.
A. H. Bradley -----	do -----	From April 17 to June 3, 1855 -----	576 00	} 139 77	District of Columbia.
M. Markland -----	do -----	From December 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	576 00		
Wm. Douglass -----	Laborer -----	From October 3 to June 3, 1855 -----	576 00	140 87	Do.
Henry Douglas -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	576 00	576 00	Do.
	do -----	do ----- do -----	576 00	576 00	Do.

AUDITOR'S OFFICE, *Post Office Department, January 19, 1856.*WM. F. PHILLIPS, *Auditor.*



*Report in compliance with the 11th section of act of August 26, 1842, and resolution of the House of Representatives adopted January 13, 1846, in relation to the clerks and other persons employed in the office of the Treasurer of the United States, during the year 1855.*

Names.	Grade.	Residence at time of appointment.	Time employed.	Amount paid.
William B. Randolph	Chief clerk	Virginia	The entire year	\$2,000 00
William D. Nutt	Clerk	Mississippi	do	1,800 00
Anthony McLean	do	Virginia	do	1,800 00
William H. West	do	Maryland	January 1 to February 28	262 22
Samuel M. Bootes	do	District of Columbia	The entire year	1,600 00
William S. Morgan	do	Virginia	do	1,600 00
Benjamin F. Mackall	do	Maryland	do	1,600 00
Hopkins Lightner	do	Pennsylvania	do	1,569 78
John D. Colmesnil	do	Kentucky	do	1,400 00
John G. Hedgman	do	Virginia	do	1,400 00
Charles W. Handy	do	District of Columbia	do	1,400 00
John G. Cameron	do	Illinois	do	1,370 56
J. W. C. Evans	do	New Jersey	do	1,200 00
Alfred B. Claxton	do	District of Columbia	March 1 to April 5	119 84
William H. Selden	do	District of Columbia	April 16 to September 30	550 55
Charles W. Perry	Messenger	Maryland	The entire year	840 00
Frank C. Cosby	Assistant messenger	Kentucky	January 15 to December 31	480 56
Henry B. Croggon	Laborer	District of Columbia	The entire year	576 00
Henry Croggon	do	District of Columbia	do	576 00

The clerks and other persons enumerated above were all usefully employed during their respective times. The services of none now employed can be dispensed with without detriment to the public service, and I do not think that the removal of any individuals, and the appointment of others in their stead, is required for the better despatch of business.

TREASURY OF THE UNITED STATES, *February 6, 1856.*

SAM. CASEY, *Treasurer.*

*Statement showing the names, compensation, residence when appointed, and time employed, of the clerks and other persons in the office of the Register of the Treasury Department during the year 1855, as required by the 11th section of the act of August 26, 1842.*

Names.	Grade.	Time employed.	Salary per annum.	Amount paid.	Residence when appointed.
Charles T. Jones-----	Chief Clerk-----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00	Indiana.
Benj. F. Rittenhouse-----	Class No. 3-----	-----do-----do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
James McClery-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Maryland.
William J. Cowan-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	North Carolina.
John Oliphant-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	New York.
Henry E. Bateman-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Maryland.
John B. Blake-----	-----do-----	From January 1 to June 30, 1855-----	1,600 00	800 00	District of Columbia.
Edgar Patterson-----	Class No. 2-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	} 1,500 00	District of Columbia.
Do-----	Class No. 3-----	From July 1, to December 31, 1855-----	1,600 00		
Peter Lammond-----	Class No. 2-----	From January 1 to October 24, 1855-----	1,400 00	1,141 30	New York.
Frederick Kley-----	-----do-----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Louisiana.
John H. Smith-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
Francis Lowndes-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Virginia.
Daniel Radebaugh, jr.-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Indiana.
George W. Barry-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maryland.
Wm. B. Berryman-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
Isaac Estill-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Tennessee.
James C. Haviland-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	New York.
De Wilton Haines-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Pennsylvania.
Hartwell Jenison-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	New York.
J. Moody Smith-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Ohio.
Peyton Wise-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
Francis A. Willis-----	-----do-----	-----do-----do-----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maryland.
John R. Nourse-----	-----do-----	From January 1 to June 30, 1855-----	1,400 00	700 00	Maryland.
Edwin Dibrell-----	-----do-----	From January 1 to June 21, 1855-----	1,400 00	665 38	Tennessee.
Edward Wright-----	-----do-----	From October 24 to December 31, 1855-----	1,400 00	258 70	District of Columbia.

John S. Nevins	Class No. 1	From January 1 to March 5, 1855	1,200 00	}	1,263 33	New Jersey.
Do	Class No. 2	From April 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00			
Samuel Reeve	Class No. 1	From January 1 to June 21, 1855	1,200 00	}	1,304 95	Wisconsin.
Do	Class No. 2	From June 22 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00			
J. H. McIlvaine	Class No. 1	From January 1 to June 30, 1855	1,200 00	}	1,300 00	Ohio.
Do	Class No. 2	From July 1 to December 31, 1855	1,400 00			
Henry L. Fuller	Class No. 1	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00		1,200 00	Maine.
Thomas H. Maddox	do	do	1,200 00		1,200 00	Louisiana.
Silas W. Hampton	do	From March 6 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00		986 67	District of Columbia.
Charles P. Wannall	do	From June 21 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00		619 78	District of Columbia.
Thomas K. Wallace	do	From August 16 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00		450 00	Texas.
William H. Anderson	do	From November 26 to December 31, 1855	1,200 00		117 39	Maine.
Charles Stuart	Messenger	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	840 00		840 00	District of Columbia.
Thomas Goddard	Ass't messenger	From January 1 to June 30, 1855	420 00	}	540 00	District of Columbia.
Do	do	From July 1 to December 31, 1855	660 00			
Isaac Angney	Arran'g & filing papers	From January 1 to June 30, 1855	840 00	}	930 00	Pennsylvania.
Do	do	From July 1 to December 31, 1855	1,020 00			
Ignatius Ruppert	Laborer	From January 1 to December 31, 1855	576 00		576 00	District of Columbia.
Arthur Spring	do	do	576 00		576 00	Pennsylvania.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, *Register's Office, January 31, 1856.*

I certify the foregoing to be a true statement of the names of the clerks and other persons that have been employed in this office during the year 1855, or any part thereof, together with the time that each was actually employed, and the sum paid to each. I further certify that they have been usefully employed; that the services of none of them can be dispensed with without detriment to the public service; and that it is not required for the better despatch of business that any of them should be removed and others appointed in their stead.

F. BIGGER, *Register.*

*Statement exhibiting the names, compensation, and time employed, of the several clerks and messenger in the office of the Commissioner of Customs during the year 1855, as required by the 11th section of the act of Congress, passed August 26, 1842, and resolution of the House of Representatives, passed January 13, 1846.*

Names.	Grade.	Time employed.	Salary.	Amount paid.	Residence when appointed.
Thomas Feran -----	Chief clerk -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00	Pennsylvania.
John D. Barclay -----	Clerk -----	do ----- do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	District of Columbia.
J. Bartram North -----	do -----	do ----- do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Pennsylvania.
James R. McCorkle -----	do -----	do ----- do -----	1,600 00	1,600 00	Do.
William Miller -----	do -----	do ----- do -----	1,400 00	1,400 00	District of Columbia.
George Marston -----	do -----	do ----- do -----	1,400 00	1,400 00	New Hampshire.
William H. Codman -----	do -----	do ----- do -----	1,400 00	1,400 00	Maine.
Edward Wright -----	do -----	From January 1 to October 24, 1855 -----	1,400 00	1,141 30	New York.
Lewis Brand -----	do -----	From October 25 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,400 00	258 70	Maryland.
Thomas E. Martin -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 2, 1855 -----	1,200 00	1,105 43	Pennsylvania.
Alpheus Treadway -----	do -----	From December 3 to December 10, 1855 -----	1,200 00	26 09	Michigan.
Thomas E. Martin -----	do -----	From December 15 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,200 00	55 43	Pennsylvania.
William W. Burr -----	do -----	From January 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	Massachusetts.
Henry A. Lockwood -----	do -----	do ----- do -----	1,200 00	1,200 00	Wisconsin.
Philip Hines -----	Messenger -----	do ----- do -----	840 00	840 00	District of Columbia.
William J. Harris -----	Laborer -----	From January 1 to July 31, 1855 -----	-----	336 00	Do.
James Thomson -----	do -----	From August 1 to December 31, 1855 -----	-----	240 00	Do.

I certify that the above-named clerks, messenger, &c., who have been employed in this office during the year 1855, have been usefully employed, and that the services of none of them can be dispensed with without detriment to the public service; and further, that the removal of any of them, and the appointment of others in their stead, is not required for the better despatch of business.

H. J. ANDERSON,  
*Commissioner of Customs.*

No. 12.

OFFICE OF THE SOLICITOR OF THE TREASURY,  
*February 5, 1856.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit, herewith, a statement of the clerks and other persons employed in this office during the year 1855, showing the time they were employed, the amount of compensation paid them, and the States in which they resided at the time of their appointment; prepared in pursuance of the eleventh section of the act of August 26, 1842, and of the resolution of the House of Representatives of January 18, 1846. The clerks have been usefully employed, and their services cannot be dispensed with without detriment to the public service.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

F. B. STREETER,  
*Solicitor.*Hon. JAMES GUTHRIE,  
*Secretary of the Treasury.*

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*Statement showing the names, compensation, and time employed, of the several clerks and the messenger in the office of the Solicitor of the Treasury during the year 1855, as required by the 11th section of the act of August 26, 1842, and resolution of House of Representatives of January 18, 1846.*

Names.	Capacity.	Time employed.	Salary.	Amount paid.	Residence when appointed.
F. B. Streeter.....	Solicitor.....	From January 1 to December 31.....	\$3,500 00	\$3,500 00	Pennsylvania.
B. F. Pleasants.....	Chief clerk.....	do do.....	2,000 00	2,000 00	Kentucky.
John V. Dobbin.....	Clerk.....	do do.....	1,800 00	2,000 00	North Carolina.
	Disbursing agent.....	do do.....	200 00		
L. W. Caldwell.....	Clerk.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	South Carolina.
B. C. Ridgate.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Maryland.
R. J. Lackey.....	do.....	do do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00	Missouri.
J. N. Knapp.....	do.....	From April 1 to December 31.....	1,400 00	1,050 00	Wisconsin.
C. C. Andrews.....	do.....	From July 1 to December 31.....	1,400 00	700 00	Kansas Territory.
Geo. Johnson.....	Messenger.....	From January 1 to December 31.....	600 00	600 00	District of Columbia.
				14,650 00	



## No. 13.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT, OFFICE LIGHT-HOUSE BOARD,  
February 6, 1856.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit, herewith, in compliance with the requirements of the tenth section of the act of Congress of August 26, 1842, and the resolution of the House of Representatives of January 18, 1846, a statement showing the names of the clerks and other persons employed in this office during the year ending December 31, 1855, or any part thereof; the amount paid to each on account of salary, &c.; in pursuance of, and authorized by, the several acts of Congress, approved March 3, 1853, 2d session 32d Congress, chap. 97, page 210, pamphlet laws; April 22, 1854, 1st session 33d Congress, chap. 97, p. 276, pamphlet laws; and chap. 242 of the act approved August 4, 1854, page 572, pamphlet laws. I have also to state that, during the past year, all persons in this office have been usefully employed, and that the interests of the public service do not demand any change.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,  
THORNTON A. JENKINS,  
*Secretary.*

HON. JAMES GUTHRIE,  
*Secretary of the Treasury.*

*Statement showing the number of clerks and other persons employed in the office of the Light-house Board from January 1, 1855, to December, 31, 1855, the time each was actually employed, and the sums paid to each during that period.*

Name.	Capacity.	Salary.	Amount paid.
Taliaferro Hunter.....	Chief clerk.....	\$2,000 00	\$2,000 00
James D. King.....	Clerk, 3d class.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
George E. Tingle.....	do.....	1,600 00	1,600 00
Benj. U. Keyser.....	Clerk, 2d class.....	1,400 00	1,400 00
Gustavus S. Taliaferro.....	Clerk, 1st class.....	1,200 00	1,200 00
W. H. Walker.....	Messenger.....	600 00	600 00
John R. W. Mankin.....	Laborer.....	576 00	576 00

